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BAGLESS UPRIGHT
VACUUM CLEANER

Please read carefully before using the cleaner. Always fully unwind the mains cable before use.

Instruction Manual

1. Components Diagram

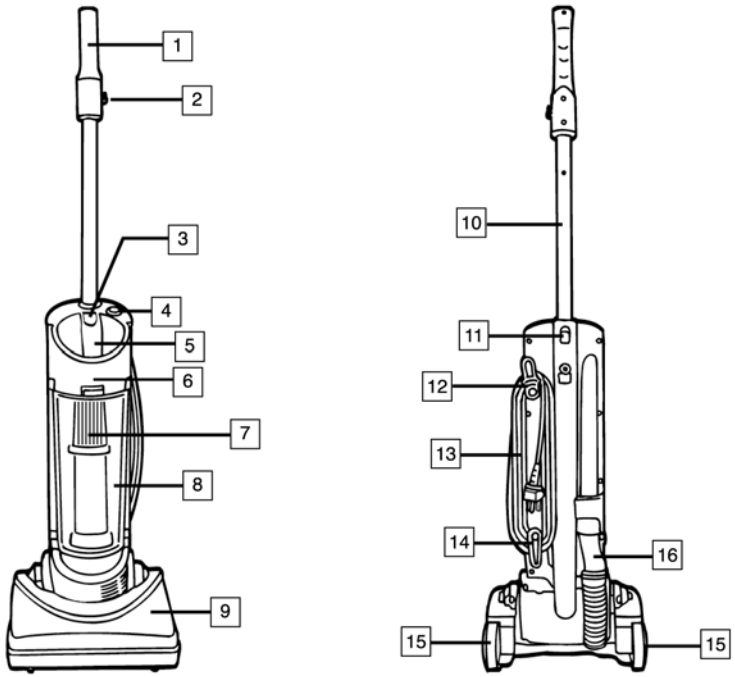

Fig.1/1

1 Handle grip
2 Cord clip
3 Dirt container release button
4 On/off switch
5 Carry handle
6 Dirt container lid
7 Filter
8 Dirt container
9 Vacuuming head
10 Telescopic handle
11 Telescopic handle release button
12 Upper cord wrap with quick cord release
13 Power cord
14 Lower cord wrap with quick cord release
15 Wheels
16 Lower hose/inspection tube

2. Safety Information

FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

When using the vacuum cleaner, basic safety precautions should always be observed, including the following:

1. Only use the vacuum cleaner indoors on dry surfaces.
2. Turn off the vacuum cleaner controls before connecting to or disconnecting from the mains supply.
3. Always unplug the vacuum cleaner before connecting or disconnecting the vacuum hose.
4. This appliance is not intended for use by young or infirm persons unless they have been adequately supervised by a responsible person to ensure that they can use the appliance safely.
   Young children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
5. Use only as described in this manual.
6. Do not use the vacuum cleaner with a damaged cord or plug. Do not use the vacuum cleaner if it has been dropped, damaged, left outdoors or dropped into water. Return the vacuum cleaner to a Vax Authorised Service Agent for examination, repair or adjustment.
7. Do not pull or carry by the cord. Do not use the cord as a handle, close a door on the cord or pull the cord around sharp edges or corners. Do not run the vacuum cleaner over the cord. Keep the cord away from heated surfaces.
8. Do not handle the plug or vacuum cleaner with wet hands. Do not use outdoors or on wet surfaces or to vacuum up fluids.
9. Do not put any objects into openings. Do not use with any openings blocked and do not restrict air flow. Keep all openings free of dust, lint, hair or anything that may reduce airflow.
10. Keep hair, loose clothing, fingers and all parts of body away from openings and moving parts.
11. Do not pick up hot coals, cigarette butts, matches or any hot, smoking or burning objects.
12. Do not pick up flammable or combustible materials (lighter fluid, petrol, kerosene, etc) or use in the presence of explosive liquids or vapours.
13. Do not vacuum up harmful or toxic material (chlorine bleach, ammonia, drain cleaner, etc).
14. Do not vacuum up hard or sharp objects such as glass, nails, screws, coins, etc.
15. Do not use without the filters in place.
16. Use extra care when vacuuming on stairs.
17. Keep vacuuming area well lit.
18. Store the vacuum indoors in a cool, dry area.
19. Turn off the switch before unplugging.

WARNING:
Always switch off and unplug the vacuum cleaner from electrical outlet before assembling, opening or emptying the dust container, or connecting/ disconnecting the attachments.

CAUTION:
The vacuum cleaner is a very powerful unit. Before plugging cord into outlet, make sure the switch is in the 'off' position. Hold the vacuum cleaner firmly when starting and in use.

IMPORTANT:
If the vacuum inlet is blocked, switch off the vacuum cleaner and remove the blockage(s) before re-starting the vacuum cleaner.

IMPORTANT:
Regular cleaning of filters improves vacuum performance.

This vacuum cleaner is intended for household use only and not for commercial or industrial use.

PLEASE KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FURTHER USE

3. Use & Function

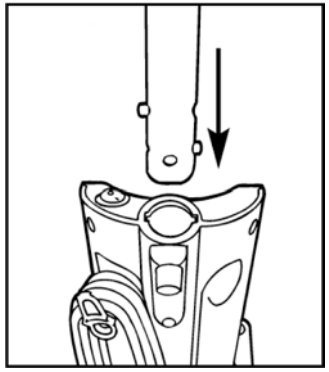

Fig.3/1

Insert handle into body of cleaner (Fig.3/1).

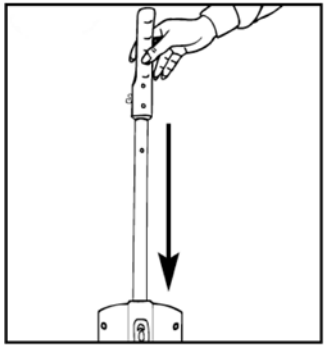

Fig.3/2

Push down firmly until handle locks into place (Fig.3/2).

Storing the Cleaner

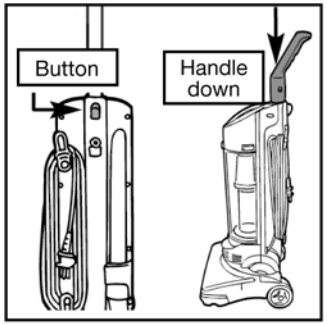

Fig.3/3

Press the telescopic handle release button on the back of the cleaner and push handle down (Fig.3/3).

Preparing the Vacuum

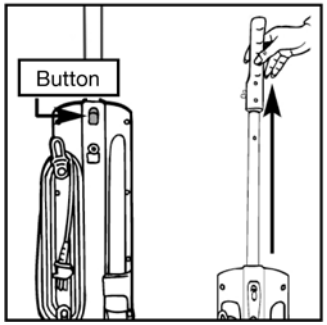

Fig.3/4

Push the telescopic handle release button and pull handle up until it locks into place (Fig.3/4).

4. How to Operate

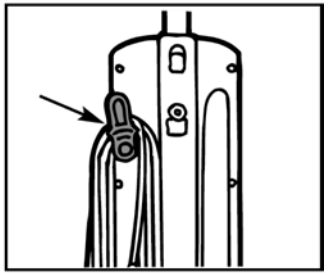

Fig.4/1

Cord Release

Turn the quick cord release for easy cord removal. Secure cord in cord clip to keep out of the way while vacuuming (Fig.4/1).

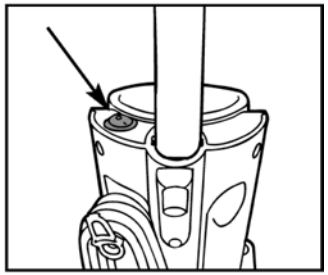

Fig.4/2

On/off Switch

Plug cord into electrical outlet. Turn cleaner on by pressing the on/off switch located on the top of unit (Fig.4/2).

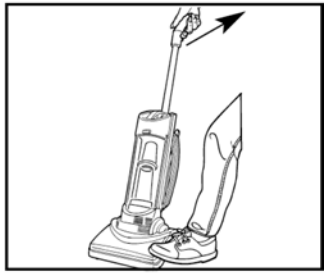

Fig.4/3

Handle Release

Pull back handle to tilt back. Press on the front of vacuuming head if needed (Fig.4/3).

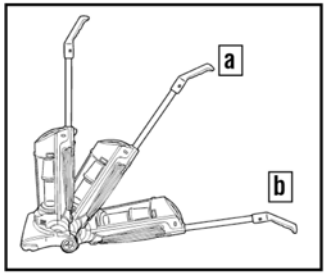

Fig.4/4

Floor/Carpet Cleaning

Move the handle and adjust it to the desired position for (a) operating the cleaner, and (b) lowering handle to clean under furniture (Fig.4/4).

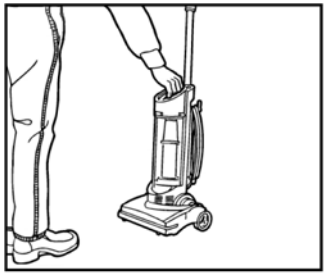

Fig.4/5

Carry Handle

Use the carry handle located on the top of the dirt container lid to move the cleaner from room to room (Fig.4/5).

5. Dirt Container & Filter: Removal & Replacement

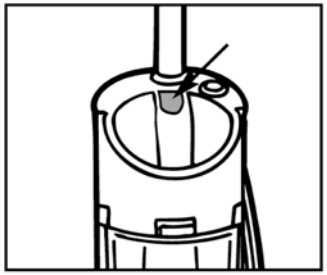

Fig.5/1

Depress button on top of dirt container lid to remove dirt container (Fig.5/1).

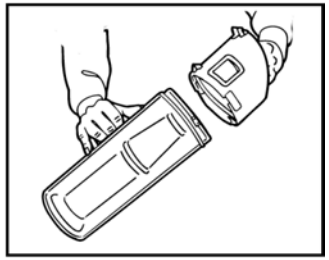

Fig.5/2

Remove by grasping handle on dirt container lid and turn counter clockwise (Fig.5/2).

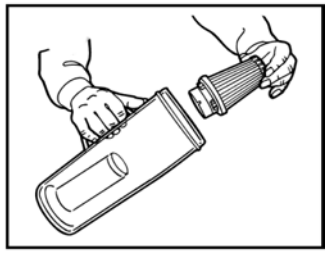

Fig.5/3

Hold the dirt container and grasp the top of the filter (Fig.5/3).

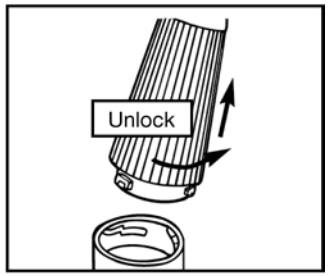

Fig.5/4

Twist the filter counter clockwise to unlock. Pull the filter up and out (Fig.5/4).

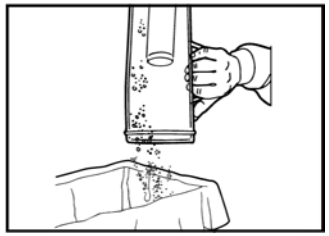

Fig.5/5

Lightly brush clean filter after each use and empty dirt container completely. (Fig.5/5).

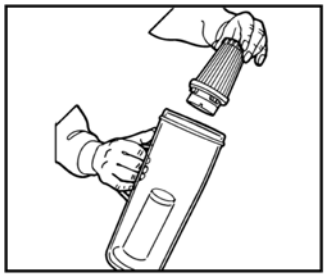

Fig.5/6

Return filter to dirt container. Twist filter clockwise to lock into position (Fig.5/6).

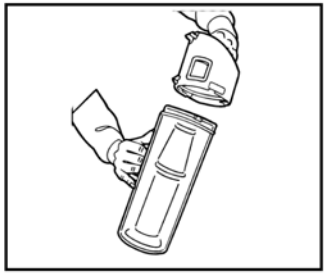

Fig.5/7

Return lid to dirt container (Fig.5/7).

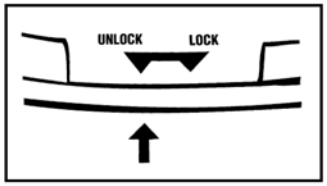

Fig.5/8

Line up arrow on dirt container with unlock/lock arrows on dirt container lid for proper alignment. Turn clockwise to lock lid in place (Fig.5/8).

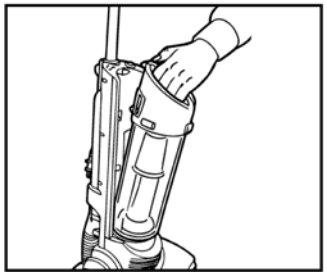

Fig.5/9

Return dirt container to base of unit and ensure it clicks securely in to place (Fig.5/9).

6. To Remove Belt

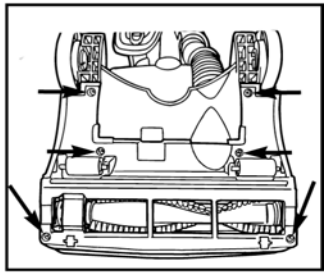

Fig.6/1

Switch off and remove the plug from mains supply. Lay cleaner flat and flip cleaner to expose base of vacuuming head. Base should lay flat and face up. To remove vacuuming head guard, use a Philips screwdriver to remove the six (6) screws. Arrows show the location of screws (Fig.6/1).

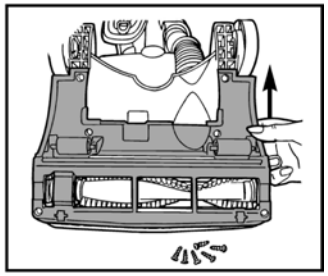

Fig.6/2

Lift vacuuming head guard off (Fig.6/2).

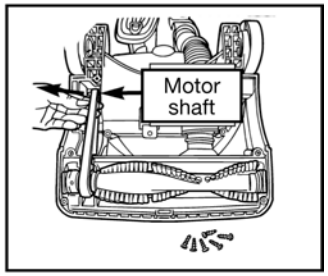

Fig.6/3

Slide belt off motor shaft (Fig.6/3).

To Replace Belt or Brushbar

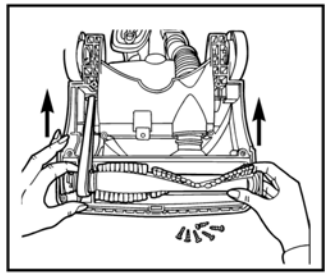

Fig.6/4

Lift and remove brushbar. Dispose of old belt (Fig.6/4).

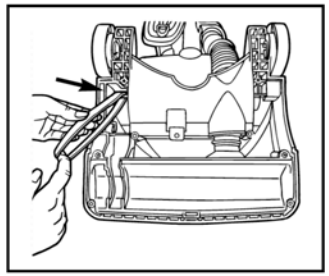

Fig.6/5

Slide new belt onto motor shaft (Fig.6/5).

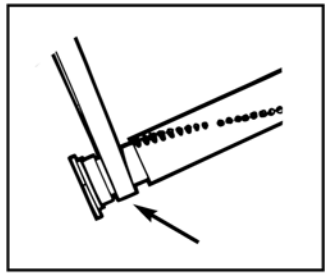

Fig.6/6

Place new belt in area of brushbar without bristles (Fig.6/6).

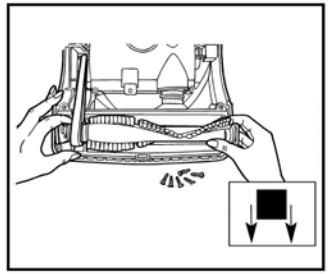

Fig.6/7

With new belt in place, pull and slide brushbar into vacuuming head making sure that the brushbar end caps are in the correct orientation. Rotate brushbar manually to make sure belt is properly aligned (Fig.6/7).

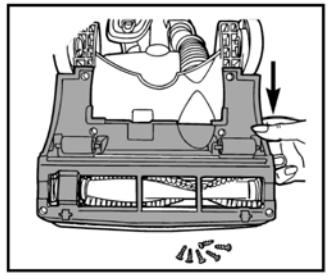

Fig.6/8

Re-attach vacuuming head guard (Fig.6/8).

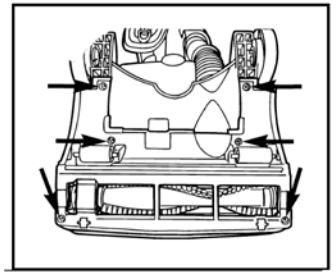

Fig.6/9

Be sure to replace all six (6) screws (Fig.6/9).

7. Clearing a Blockage:

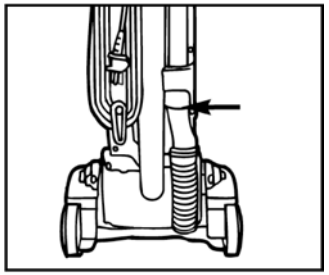

Fig.7/1

Locate lower hose/inspection tube (Fig.7/1).

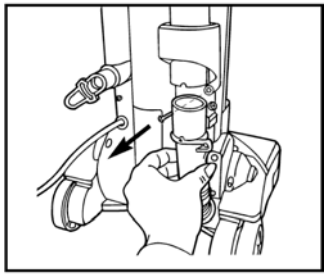

Fig.7/2

Remove one (1) screw and pull lower hose down and away from cleaner. Remove obstruction (Fig.7/2).

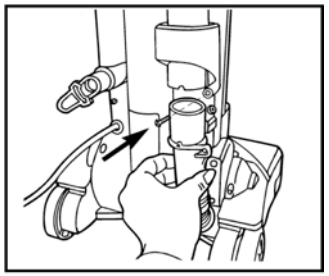

Fig.7/3

Replace lower hose and replace one (1) screw (Fig.7/3).

8. VAXCARE Service & Help
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Please make a note of the serial number and model number of the appliance before calling.
(Aust only: Mon-Fri. 10.00am to 6.00pm. EST)
Calls are charged at the local rate.
An answerphone is available out of these hours.

There are over 300 approved Vax Service Agents in Australia and New Zealand. For the nearest Service Agent, please refer to your Vax warranty or call VAXCARE or visit www.vax.com.au

9. Technical Specification

Voltage:	220-240V~50Hz
Wattage:	850W
Capacity:	2.3 litres MAX
Filters:	Fibre pre-motor filter
	Pleated paper main filter
Cord length:	6.4 metres
Weight:	4.5 kg
Part No.:	56000

Subject to technical change without notice.

10. Replacement Filters

Replacement filters are available from your Vax stockist or Vax direct. Phone Vaxcare or visit: www.vax.com.au

10. Troubleshooting

PROBLEM: Vacuum cleaner won't run

Cause: Power cord not firmly pushed into mains socket.
Solution: Plug the cord in firmly to the power outlet.

Cause: Thermal cut-out operates.
Solution: Switch off vacuum cleaner and unplug from mains socket. Leave vacuum cleaner for at least 1 hour and clean filters and empty dust container in the meantime.

PROBLEM: Vacuum cleaner won't pick up/loss of suction

Cause: Dirt container not installed correctly.
Solution: Review dirt container removal and replacement.

Cause: Dirt container full.
Solution: Empty dirt container.

Cause: Brushbar worn.
Solution: Replace brushbar.

Cause: Broken or worn belt.
Solution: Replace belt.

Cause: Clogged filter.
Solution: Remove filter and clean.

Cause: Vacuuming head/brushbar blocked.
Solution: Check vacuuming head/brushbar - Remove obstruction/blockage.

Cause: Lower hose blocked.
Solution: Remove lower hose/clear blockage. See section 7.

PROBLEM: Dust escaping from vacuum cleaner

Cause: Dirt container full.
Solution: Empty dirt container.

Cause: Dirt container not installed correctly.
Solution: Review dirt container removal and replacement.

Cause: Hose not installed correctly.
Solution: Review hose installation. See Fig7/3.

Cause: Filter not installed completely.
Solution: Review filter removal and replacement.